

Joint Petition for Expedited Resolution of Disputes)
 Relating to Billing Performance) Docket No. 03-0769
 Measurements)

its reply comments and supporting affidavits,² SBC Illinois did not address TDS Metrocom's arguments. As a result, SBC Illinois is submitting these supplemental comments to address the new information.

The Commission should not even consider the substance of the TDS Metrocom comments, because they are the unverified assertions of a non-party and thus are not competent evidence. See SBC Illinois Reply Comments, pp. 2-3. In any event, as the information in Mr. Ehr's Supplemental Reply Affidavit demonstrates, the arguments that TDS Metrocom presented in Wisconsin cannot justify a conclusion by this Commission in Illinois to make PM CLEC BLG-4 and PM CLEC BLG-5 remedied measures at this time, or to add new measures that address billing accuracy, repeat billing, and back billing.

For the foregoing reasons, and for the reasons set forth in SBC Illinois' initial and reply comments in this docket, the Commission should resolve the disputed issues addressed herein as proposed by SBC Illinois.

Respectfully submitted this 9th day of June, 2004.

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² See SBC Illinois Reply Comments on Disputed Issues Resulting from the Third Six Month Review and the Billing Collaborative ("SBC Illinois Reply Comments").